

SUBSTITUTE ABSTRACT

A casino style card game, played in accordance with the standard rules of Blackjack, also known as "21," and including an auxiliary component allowing additional wagering on the outcome of the dealer's hand for each participating player.

Participating players are able to wager on the dealer having a non-breaking hand (i.e., a hand having a value less than 21 in accordance with the rules of Blackjack) containing two, three, four, five, six, or seven cards. Wagers may also be made on the dealer having an even or odd count, or an all red or all black hand. A return is paid on wagers in the auxiliary game only if the dealer hand does not "bust" (i.e., exceed a value of 21). The game is also playable in electronic or other automated versions using, for example, terminals and networks, or slot machines.